COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN EXAMINATION BY THE PUBLIC)		
SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE APPLICA-)		
TION OF THE FUEL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE) (2	SE NO.	00-282
OF MEADE COUNTY RURAL ELECTRIC) (se no.	30-302
COOPERATIVE CORPORATION FROM)		
NOVEMBER 1, 1988 TO OCTOBER 31, 1990	j		

ORDER

Pursuant to Commission Regulation 807 KAR 5:056, the Commission on November 30, 1990 established this case to review and evaluate the operation of the fuel adjustment clause ("FAC") of Meade County Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation ("Meade County") from November 1, 1988 to October 31, 1990.

As a part of this review, the Commission ordered Meade County to submit certain information including, <u>inter alia</u>, its monthly fuel charges for the period under review and an affidavit attesting to its compliance with Commission Regulation 807 KAR 5:056. Meade County has complied with this Order. The Commission further ordered that a public hearing be held in this case, but cancelled it when, after publication of notice, no interested party advised the Commission of its intention to attend.

The Commission, having considered the evidence of record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, finds that:

1. Meade County has complied in all material respects with the provisions of Commission Regulation 807 KAR 5:056.

- 2. Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers"), the wholesale supplier of Meade County, has been authorized to transfer (roll-in) a 0.35 mills per Kwh increase in its base fuel cost to its base rates.
- 3. Meade County should be authorized to transfer (roll-in) a 0.38 mills per Kwh increase in its base fuel costs to its base rates to reflect, as adjusted for line loss, the transfer of a 0.35 mills per Kwh increase in Big Rivers' base rates and this can best be accomplished by an energy adder to each Kwh sold.
- 4. The rates and charges in Appendix A, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are fair, just, and reasonable, and reflect the transfer of fuel costs from the FAC to the base rate.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. The charges and credits applied by Meade County through the FAC for the period from November 1, 1988 to October 31, 1990 be and they hereby are approved.
- 2. Meade County be and it hereby is authorized to transfer to base rates those fuel costs (as adjusted for line-loss) rolled-in by Big Rivers from its FAC to its base rates.
- 3. The rates in Appendix A are approved for service rendered by Meade County on and after May 1, 1991.

Case No. 90-360, An Examination by the Public Service Commission of the Application of the Fuel Adjustment Clause of Big Rivers Electric Corporation From November 1, 1988 to October 31, 1990.

4. Within 30 days of the date of this Order, Meade County shall file with the Commission revised tariff sheets setting out the rates approved herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 3rd day of April, 1991.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

Vice Chairman

Commissioner

ATTEST:

Executive Director

-M McCracken

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 90-382 DATED 4/03/91

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Meade County Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of this Commission prior to the date of this Order.

RATE SCHEDULE 1 - RESIDENTIAL, FARM AND NON-FARM, SCHOOLS AND CHURCHES

First	300 KWH Per Month	7.313¢
Next	700 KWH Per Month	5.823¢
All Over	1,000 KWH Per Month	5.399¢

RATE SCHEDULE 2 - COMMERCIAL RATE

First	500 KWH Per Month	7.846¢
Next	500 KWH Per Month	7.197¢
All Over	1,000 KWH Per Month	6.365¢

RATE SCHEDULE 3 - GENERAL SERVICE, 0-49 KVA

First	500 KWH Pe	r Month	7.582¢
Next	500 KWH Pe	r Month	7.013¢
All Over	1,000 KWH Pe	r Month	6.166¢

RATE SCHEDULE 4 - LARGE POWER SERVICE OVER 50 KVA

Rates:

- 6.430¢ Per KWH for the first 100 KWH used per month per KW of billing demand
- 5.792¢ Per KWH for the next 100 KWH used per month per KW of billing demand
- 5.527¢ Per KWH for the next 100 KWH used per month per KW of billing demand
- 5.365¢ Per KWH for all remaining 100 KWH used per month

RATE SCHEDULE 5 - OUTDOOR LIGHTING SERVICE INDIVIDUAL CONSUMERS

175 Watt Unmetered	-	Per	Month	\$7.29
175 Watt Metered	_	Per	Month	3.65
400 Watt Unmetered	-	Per	Month	10.15
400 Watt Metered	_	Per	Month	3.65

RATE SCHEDULE 6 - STREET LIGHTING SERVICE COMMUNITY, MUNICIPALITIES AND TOWNS

175	Watt -	Per	Month	\$6.37
400	Watt -	Per	Month	9.30